



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

Happiness - A Step at a Time

SCHEDULE FOR APRIL AND MAY 1988

(PLEASE -- NO PETS ON HIKES)

(31 YEARS OF SPONSORING OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES IN THE FORM OF HIKES AND OUTINGS)

HIKE RATING SYSTEM - Shown in parenthesis at end of each hike.

<u>TERRAIN</u>		<u>SURFACE</u>	<u>SPEED</u>
H	(Hilly) Continuously	NS (Natural) Primarily Soft	Walking Speed
M	(Mixed) Hilly & Flat	HS (Hard) Packed Dirt or Gravel	in MPH not
F	(Flat) Few Hills	PS (Paved) Concrete or blacktop	including breaks

NOTE: The Club is sponsoring hikes in conjunction with two Volksmarches in this schedule, on May 7th, and on May 28th. A Volksmarch is a walk along a prescribed route with each participant setting their own pace. The events are open to all. Hiking Club members must register with the hike leader first, then register at the Start Point Table for the Volksmarch. You will be given a "Walk Card" to carry on the trail and it will be validated at several check points, and it will be turned in at the finish.

- APR 5 (Tuesday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet at 10:00 AM inside the 56th St. entrance at the first parking lot for a 5 to 7 mile hike. (M,NS,3). Leader: Mary Kidwell (852-2439). This hike will be repeated April 26th.
- X(B) BEECH GROVE HIKE - At the intersection of Main and 13th Ave. in Beech Grove - take 13th Ave. south into Sarah Bolton City Park. Park in the lot just inside and to the right of the entrance. This is a self-guided hike of 4 or 8 miles and will be repeated each Tuesday in April. (F,HS&PS). Leaders: Marge & Bob Begeman (359-4174). SIGN-IN TIME IS 5:30 PM.
- APR 9 (Saturday) KNOB LAKE - JACKSON FOREST - Allow 2 hours travel time. Take I-65 south to the Seymour exit, US 50 West. Go west on US 50 to Brownstown. Take SR 250 left about 3 miles to the Jackson State Forest entrance on the LEFT. Meet in the parking lot beyond the lake at 10:00 AM for moderate to rugged hikes of 5 and 13 miles. Several steep hills, particularly on the longer hike. Bring lunch and water. Beautiful scenic vistas at this time of year from the many ridges. Leader: Bill Larrison (359-7538). (H,NS,2.5-3).
- APR 10 (Sunday) (A) INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT - Go west on Washington Street to High School Road. Turn south and go to Pierson Drive (along the north side of the Airport). Turn right (west) and go 1/2 mile to the International Arrivals Building. Meet in the parking lot at 12:00 Noon for an easy hike of 10 miles around the Airport. Make a restroom stop before signing in. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Tom Bowers (846-5362).
- X(B) INDIANA UNIVERSITY CAMPUS - Allow 1-1/2 hours driving time. Take SR 37 south to Bloomington. Turn left on SR 46 and go 1.5 miles and turn right into the purple parking lot for the football stadium. Meet at 1:30 PM for an easy 6 mile hike. We will enter several campus buildings. (M,PS,3). Leaders: Hal & Adena Rynerson (1-987-7858).
- APR 12 (Tuesday) (A) X BROAD RIPPLE & MAROTT PARKS - Meet in the main parking lot of Broad Ripple Park, 1450 Broad Ripple Ave. (East 62nd St.) at 9:30 AM for a 7 mile hike. (F,NS&PS,3) Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114).
- X(B) BEECH GROVE HIKE - See instructions for Apr 5th. (B)

- MAY 14 X (Saturday) (A) EAGLE CREEK PARK - EAST & WEST - Take West 56th Street to Eagle Creek Park, and park in the lot just west of the causeway. Meet at 10:00 AM for a moderately rugged hike of 11 to 12 miles. Bring lunch and water, plus 25¢ for walk-in admission to the park. Shorter options not available for this hike. (M,NS,2.5-3). Leaders: Mary Kidwell (852-2439) and Libby Moore (852-4717).
- X (B) MOUNDS STATE PARK - Take I-69 to the second Anderson exit. Go north on SR 109 to SR 232. Turn right and continue to the Park. (Admission Fee). Meet at the pavilion parking lot, shortly past the park office, at 2:00 PM for a SLOW & EASY 4 to 5 mile hike, including a visit to the Mounds and to the Nature Center. (F,NS,2.5). Leaders: Juanita Lauth (353-6325) and Alberta Neill (634-7672).
- MAY 15 X (Sunday) LINCOLN BOYHOOD HOME STATE PARK - Allow 3-1/2 hours travel time. One suggested route is I-65 south to I-64, then west to US 231. Turn south and follow signs to the Park (not the National Historic Site). Meet at 11:00 AM in the parking area in front of the entrance booth on the right. Bring trail lunch and water for this 9 mile hike. Shorter options available. (F,NS,2.5). Leaders: Andrew and Veronica Lenard (812-339-8031).
- MAY 17 X (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 3rd.
- MAY 18 X (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 4th
- MAY 21 X (Saturday) (A) BALL STATE UNIVERSITY - WHITE RIVER - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take I-69 north to Exit 34. Go east on SR 32 (Not SR 67) through Yorktown to Muncie. Go past a large cemetery to a large Zayres sign. Turn left into the parking lot. Meet at 9:00 AM for an easy to moderate hike of 8 miles. Leaders: Hal and Adena Rynerson (1-987-7858). (F,NS&PS,3).
- 1:00 X (B) LAUGHERY CREEK TRAIL - PART I - This 25 mile hike is being offered in response to a special request. Take I-74 southeast to Greensburg, and SR 421 to Versailles, and US 50 east to Elrod. Turn right on Friendship Road in Elrod and proceed to parking lot of the National Muzzle Loading Rifle Association in Friendship. Allow 2 hours travel time, Meet at 8:30 AM PROMPTLY due to car shuttle. Bring lunch and liquid. Patch available. (F,HS,3-3.5). Leader: John V. Behrmann (462-7058).
- MAY 22 X (Sunday) (A) GLENDALE TO CIRCLE - Meet at Glendale Center on the east side of Rural Street at 7:30 AM for hikes of 9 or 18 to 19 miles. Bring lunch and liquid for a stop in University Park. Hikers going one way are responsible for transportation. (F,PS,3). Leader: Tom Patterson (849-9528).
- X (B) BROAD RIPPLE SPECIAL - Meet at 1:00 PM in the parking lot over the canal in Broad Ripple just east of College Avenue for a 6 to 7 mile hike. (M,NS&PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).
- MAY 24 X (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 3rd.
- MAY 25 X (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 4th.
- MAY 27 X (Friday) "500" FESTIVAL MINI-MARATHON RUN/HIKE - Meet at 8:30 AM under the clock at L.S. Ayres, corner of Meridian & Washington, to sign in for hiking club mileage. This is to be a self-guided run/hike starting at 9:00 AM. The 13 mile route will go from the circle to the Motor Speedway. All hikers will be responsible for their own transportation from the finish of the hike back to their cars. (F,PS). Leader: Marge Begeman (359-4174).
- MAY 28,29,30 (Saturday through Monday) GNAWBONE CAMP MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND - (For members and their invited guests). The reservation supplement is included with this mailing. Please consult it for details. For additional information call Bill Larrison (359-7538)

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS: May 21, 1988

(NOTE: Dayhikers please notify Bill Larrison what day you will be hiking)

- APR 30 (Saturday) (B) LIEBER STATE RECREATION AREA - 1-1/2 hours driving time. Take I-70 west to the SR 243 exit. Go south on SR 243 to the Park (Admission Fee). Meet in the picnic parking area which is the left fork near the end of the road to the beach. Meet at 10:00 AM for a moderate hike of 6 miles. (M,NS,2.5-3). Leader: Lynda Neher (745-3312)
- MAY 1 (Sunday) (A) AROUND THE COUNTY - Meet at 7:30 AM at Ivyway Plaza at 71st Street and Graham Road for a self-guided hike of 20 miles. (Ivyway Plaza is one block west of SR 37 and 71st Street. Park close to 71st Street). Bring food and water for this road hike. Shorter options of 12 and 16 miles. (F,PS). Leader: Dennis Taft (271-7118)
- (B) BLATCHLEY NATURE STUDY CLUB WOODS - Take SR 37 north and SR 32 west to Noblesville. Meet on the east side of the court house at 2:00 PM for an easy 6 mile hike visiting the Club Woods. (F,NS&PS,2.5) Leader: Vic Knarr (773-3149).
- MAY 3 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet near the Amphitheater at 10:00 AM for a 5 mile hike. (M,NS,2.5-3). Leader: Libby Moore (852-4717). This hike will be repeated every Tuesday in May.
- MAY (Wednesday) SPEEDWAY AREA - Meet between 5:15 PM and 5:30 PM in the Marsh parking lot at 5900 Crawfordsville Road for self-guided hikes of 6 or 9 miles. (F,NS&PS). Leader: Wilma Thompson (241-7154). Hike to be repeated each Wednesday in May.
- MAY 7 (Saturday) (A) BROWN COUNTY STATE PARK - Allow 2 hours travel from Indianapolis. Take SR 135 south through Nashville to the Park. Meet at 10:00 AM in the parking lot for the nature center for a 10 mile hike. Bring lunch and water. (H,NS,2.5). Leaders: Peg & Heydon Franzen (812-988-2461).
- (B) VOLKSMARCH - DOWNTOWN INDIANAPOLIS - Meet the hike leader at the Athenaeum Turners, corner of New Jersey & East Michigan at 1:30 PM. After signing I.H.C. roster, go to the Start Point Table and register with the Indy "G" Walkers and get your "Walk Card". Get the Cards validated at check points and turn them in at end of hike. 10 kilometers (6.2 miles) (F,PS). Leader: Sam Lloyd (241-3557).
- MAY 8 (Sunday) (A) OWEN-PUTNAM STATE FOREST - Take SR 67 south to the junction with US 231. Turn right (north) and go 2.5 miles to Carp. Make a U-Turn left back south onto the county road. (Follow the Owen-Putnam Primitive Camp Signs). Go .5 miles and turn right and go 3.3 miles west to one mile beyond the stop sign in Cuba. Turn right and cross a wooden bridge. Go straight ahead (north) for 3 miles, crossing 3 fords, to the primitive campground. Meet at 9:00 AM for a moderate hike of 11 miles. Bring lunch & water. (M,NS,3). Leaders: Marge & Bob Begeman (359-4174).
- (B) EAGLE CREEK PARK - Meet at 2:00 PM inside the 56th Street entrance at the first parking lot for a 5 to 6 mile hike. (M,NS,3). Leaders: Win & Mary Pulsifer (784-1835).
- MAY 10 (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 3rd.
- MAY 11 (Wednesday) (A). DOWNTOWN - Meet at 12:00 Noon on the east side of the Monument Circle for a lunch-time hike of 2 to 3 miles in the downtown area. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Pat Foreman (255-7305).
- (B) SPEEDWAY AREA - See instructions for May 4th
- MAY 12 (Thursday) GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND CLUB SOCIAL - (For members and their invited guests) Meet at 7:30 PM in Fellowship Hall of the Covenant Presbyterian Church at 2305 North Kitley. (Park in rear and enter from the parking lot). DIRECTIONS: Kitley is 6500 East between Arlington and Shadeland. Take 21st Street to Kitley and go north to the second church on the right. The short business meeting will be followed by the program for the evening. Paul Sherwood from the Department of Natural Resources "Division of Outdoor Recreation" will present information on Indiana's long distance trails, especially the Knobstone Trail. He will also discuss the role of volunteerism in maintaining our Indiana Trails.

REINSTATEMENTS:

Benefiel, Anna M.	4003 Hampshire Ct.	46236	
Bronson, Dale	4544 W. Runyon Lake Dr., Greenwood, IN	46142	888 5875
Campbell, Joyce P.	7244 N. Ritter Ave.	46250	849 9268
Edgerton, Celeste	8330 Chapel Pine Dr.	46234	
Greskamp, Mary Ellen	141 Edgewater Dr., Noblesville, IN	46060	
Newhall, George	11975 Cable Dr., N.	46236	823 651

NEW TELEPHONE

Woodward, Betty	13215 Allisonville Rd., Noblesville, IN	46060	577 0308
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MARY LLOYD, the membership officer announces the following mileage awards:

Michael Khalil	100	Bob Boger	200	Hal Rynerson	300	Pat Foreman	1000
Barbara Tipton	100	Larry Kowalski	200	Don Reid	300	Karleen Huneck	1500
David Molloy	100	Bob Davis	200	Cheryl Conwell	400	Estelle Cope	2000
John Gornick	100	Tom McKeon	200	Sandy De Long	400	Gene Waltz	3000
Diane Taylor	100	Ann Woolman	200	Bob Corya	400	Mary Kidwell	5500
Jean Marquart	200	Billie Goshert	300				

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OBITUARY - The Club extends its sympathy to Sam Lloyd and his family on the death of his mother recently.

ACCIDENTS AND ILLNESSES: Frank Burnett and Dottie Meyer both had surgery recently. And Louise Patterson fell recently and suffered severe fractures. We wish all of them speedy recovery and hope their recuperation period will be brief.

Mary Kidwell, Wilma Thompson, and Gerry O'Reilly had auto accidents recently. No serious injuries, except to their cars. We are glad of that.

FUTURE EVENTS:

July 23, 1988	Picnic at Eagle Creek Park
Sep 3,4,5 1988	Labor Day Weekend at Cumberland Falls Park, Kentucky
Nov 11,12,13,1988	Outing at Abe Martin Lodge, Brown County Park
Dec 3, 1988	Christmas Party
Feb 10,11,12,1989	Outing at Pokagon State Park

SHARE RIDES AND EXPENSES: The Indianapolis Hiking Club urges all members to form car pools where possible to share expenses of travel. The current suggested donation for gas is 4¢ per mile from each if there are 1 or 2 passengers, and 3-1/2¢ per mile from each for 3 or more passengers.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE INDIANAPOLIS HIKING CLUB; The membership officer is Mary C. Lloyd, 5811 Big Oak Drive, Indianapolis, IN. 46254 (293-7675). Applicants for membership must be at least 18 years old, and have hiked in at least 2 hikes as a guest.

- MAY 28 X (Saturday) EAGLE CREEK VOLKSMARCH - (Co-sponsored with Indy YMCA) Use the 56th St. entrance and meet the hike leader at 11:00 AM at the Mt. Pleasant Area on Reed Road (inside the park). After signing the IHC roster, you must register with the marchers and receive your "Walk Card" to be validated at check points along the trail and to be turned in at end of hike. 10 kilometer (6.2 miles). (M,HS&NS) Leader: Phil Lin (251-2795).
- MAY 30 X (Monday) NORA NEIGHBORHOODS - Meet near the south side of parking lot at Nora Plaza, 1300 E. 86th Street for a 6 mile hike starting at 7:30 AM. Walking surface will be pavement, railbed, dirt paths and the speed will vary. Leader: Dorothy Field (253-7114).
- MAY 31 X (Tuesday) EAGLE CREEK PARK - See instructions for May 3rd.
- JUN 4 X (Saturday) SWEETWATER - CORDRY LAKES - Allow 1-1/2 hours travel. Take SR 135 south to SR 252. Go east on 252 to signs for Nineveh. Turn right and go south through Nineveh for about 7.5 miles. Follow "Church of the Lakes" signs. Use caution on narrow roads. Park near the saleshouse. Parking is limited - car pool if possible. Self-guided hikes of 5, 10, and 15 miles begin at 10:00 AM. Bring lunch and water. (M,PS). Leader: Joe Wilhelm (241-3695).
- JUN 5 X (Sunday) (A) SALAMONIE SNOWMOBILE TRAIL - 2 Hrs travel. Meet at 9:30 AM for 20 mile hike. (Optional 8 mile hike also). Take I-69 north and exit on SR 5, the Huntington, Warren, Salamonie exit. Go north on SR 5 for a mile, and turn left (west) on Hwy 124. Go through Mt. Etna (approx 6 miles) and continue on Hwy 124 across SR 9. Go .4 mile beyond SR 9 and turn right at Mt. Etna State Recreation sign. Go .3 mile and turn left on the first road beyond the trailer park to the parking lot. Bring trail lunch and water. (M,NS,3). Leader: Karleen Huneck (1-453-4270).
- (B) CARMEL BY THE RAILROAD TRACKS - Go north on US 31 (Meridian) to 116th Street and go east. Go one block to Pennsylvania Street. Turn left and park in the parking lot of the Meridian Park Office Complex. This easy 8 mile hike will start at 1:00 PM. Shorter options. (F,PS,2.5-3). Leader: Jim Stern (844-3791).

PATHFINDER'S MESSAGE: How rewarding it has been to have so many new hike leaders! There have been many positive and favorable comments concerning your leadership. Thanks Loads.

Update on Summit Lake State Park. This 2552 acre park is located in Henry County, seven miles north of New Castle. The Grand re-opening has been rescheduled for a great celebration on May 28, 1988. This will be a day long festival. Three hiking trails are supposed to be ready by Memorial Day weekend. New hike leaders, Hal and Adena Rynerson, have scheduled a hike near New Castle for July 24th, and they can tell you more about the progress being made at Summit Lake Park.

It is time to sign up for summer and fall hikes. Hopefully, we can expect to be led to many of our state parks and forested areas. You may want to plan weekend outings to coincide with scheduled hikes and/or area celebrations. Please consider leading a hike in your old home town, if your former residence was outside Marion County. Call me, Wilma Thompson, for sign up (241-7154). HAPPY HIKING

PLEASE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS VOTED IN AT RECENT BOARD MEETINGS:

2/18/88	Gibson, Gary	1230 East 90th Street	46240	846 8369
3/17/88	Baker, Susie	5132 East North Street	46219	357 7616
3/17/88	Brown, Barbara K. & Leo	6420 Azure Lane	46220	257 1430
3/17/88	Cassens, Richard	20 Southview, Martinsville, IN.	46151	1 342 7745
3/17/88	Combs, Betty	Rt 3, Box 177, Sheridan, IN.	46069	896 2428
3/17/88	Eineman, David	613 Paradise Ct., Apt D, Greenwood, IN	46142	881 3172
3/17/88	Haskett, Sam E.	585 Hillcrest Dr., Westfield, IN.	46074	896 3223
3/17/88	Motto, Steven J.	3720 Cheviot Place	46205	547 7662
3/17/88	Mulberry, Aubrery Jr.	8328 Rodney Dr.	46234	291 9979
3/17/88	Schultz, Franklin	2834 Stillman Ave.	46268	875 9865